

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Gallagher et al.**

Serial No.: 10/798,934

Filed: **March 11, 2004**

For: **Method, System, and Computer  
Program Product for Dynamically  
Selecting Software Buffers for  
Aggregation According to Current  
System Characteristics**

§ Group Art Unit: **2182**

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§ Examiner: **Tanh Q. Nguyen**

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§ Attorney Docket No.: **AUS920040004US1**

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

No fees are believed to be required. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated May 7, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: